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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PATENT APPLICATION EXAMINING OPERATIONS

Appl. No. : 09/539,918
Applicant : Florence
Filed : March 31, 2000
TC/A.U. : 2871
Examiner : Di Grazio, Jeanne A.
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Customer No. : 00152

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AMENDMENT

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October 19, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of April 19, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are not reflected in this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.